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A CARD.

SOME days ago an article appeared in the Colonist, stating that the plans of Mr. C. E. Apponyi, architect, had been accepted for the State Capitol of Colorado. I am under the impression that the statement made in the article referred to, is incorrect, not only in that particular, but in every particular. Will the editor of the Colonist please state his authority for that article, or will Mr. Apponyi make the statement over his own signature, so that I may know the truth of the matter?

A CONTRACTOR.

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THE CITY COUNCIL.

The Usual Weekly Installment of Business Disposed Of.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held last night at 8 o'clock Present: Mayor Bithet and Councillors McKillican, Earle, Teague, Grant, Ward, Warner, Braden and Smith.

Minutes of previous meeting read and adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Julius Bavian asking for use of a portion of Yates street for building purposes. Granted.

From James Wild, London, England, explaining the progress being made in the work of lithographing the new city maps and promising 50 copies by an early mail.

From Julius Bavian, applying for street lines. Granted.

From Wang Duck Can, applying for a license for pawnbroking, and promising to keep his books in English. Received and filed.

From J. Stanford, asking for the privilege of raising the sidewalk on Princess Avenue while building houses. Granted.

From Chester P. Davis, Chicago, Ill., acknowledging receipt of communication on the sewerage question and stating that he would be prepared to visit Victoria and make a personal examination of the proposed work as soon as the matter was in a position for him to do so. Referred to Committee on Drainage and street levels.

From Sister Mary Providence, calling attention to the grading on McClure street, which has destroyed the fence at the house occupied by Mr. Edgar Marvin, to the extent of $300, and asking that that amount be refunded. Referred to Street Committee to report.

From Nicholles & Renouf, for permission to remove a frame shed, on corner of Yates and Broad streets. Referred to Fire Wardens to report.

From Robertson & Mable, for permission to build a bridge across the sidewalk on Johnson street for the use of their carriage shop. Granted, under the supervision of Street Committee.

From William Williams, asking the Council to give the grade and lay a sidewalk next to the Deluge Engine house. Granted.

From David Spencer, applying for street lines in the Work estate. Granted.

From A. J. Rowbotham & Co., calling attention to the fact that a corporation official had contracted debts to a considerable amount and would not pay them. Referred to Police committee to report.

Accounts were read for the month of July, amounting to $1515.73. The bills were referred to the Finance Committee, to be paid if correct.

TENDERS FOR DRAIN.

Tenders fo. the construction of View street drain were opened and read, as follows: Patrick Gilligan, $1230; Wild & McLeod, $1331; Edward Maslin, $1925; Thos. Williams, $1725; James Baker, $1189.

Councillor Ward suggested that the matter be deferred until after the consideration of the financial statement, as it was largely in excess of what had been contemplated. On motion this was agreed to.

POLICEMAN.

Applications were read from the following for the vacant position on the Police force: Peter McDonald, W. Jackson, Geo. T. Buck, John McLaren, Edwin McLeod, Kenneth Nicholson, Edward Abel, Frederick Spohr, J. S. McDonald, C. Bush, Abert Spencer, R. Hart, E. H. Babbitt, Wm. Wood, W. H. H. Adams.

The vote was taken by ballot, and on the third one being taken, Mr. John McLaren was declared elected.

MOTIONS.

Councillor Grant moved a resolution, of which he had given notice, devoting the sum of $300 for the consolidation the city by-laws.

Councillor Ward expressed the hope that the work would be put through at once, as the by-laws were in a disgraceful state.

Seconded by Councillor McKillican and carried.

A CHINESE NUISANCE.

From Sergt. Flewin, reporting certain nuisances. In regard to the Chinese furnace, previously complained of, the owner expressed his willingness to meet any reasonable request of the Council but refused to remove it.

Councillor Grant said that if the by-law gave us no power to remove the furnace the Chinamen should be proceeded against for having a nuisance on his premises.

Councillor Braden said the furnace was a danger to the houses near by. If it cannot be removed a brick wall, 40 feet high, should be built all around it.

Councillor Grant said the wooden structure made it more dangerous still. The Council had the power to make him build a chimney or they could prevent him from using a fire in it.

Councillor Warner said it had already been referred to the Fire Wardens, and they had declared it a nuisance and dangerous.

It was moved that the report be adopted, the matter to be referred to the city barrister, and such actions to be taken as he may advise. Carried.

AN OLD NUISANCE.

Councillor McKillican reported that complaints were again being made about the scavengers depositing refuse in Stelly's field.

Councillor Ward said it was really too bad that this nuisance should be continued. He moved, seconded by Councillor McKillican, that it be referred to the sanitary officer to take immediate proceedings.

REPORTS.

The Street Committee reported that the cost of blasting the rock on Spring Ridge, at the head of Pandora Avenue, would cost about $1200, and that the work had better be laid over for the present. They also recommended that Mr. Gore be granted 100 yards of broken rock, at $2.50 per yard, and that the work of finishing Michigan street be postponed until such time as it may be deemed necessary to have the street graded. On motion the report was adopted.

The Waters Works Committee presented their report. It is given in full in another column.

SENSIBLE PROPOSITIONS.

Councillor Ward said that if this Council could acquire the land now occupied by the city gaol that it would be greatly in the interest of the citizens to do so. It could be utilized as a park.

Councillor Grant said that it was time that this Council should consider whether it was just and right that the pound should be kept any longer where it now is. It is close to the back doors of a number of dwellings and was a very great nuisance to every person in the neighborhood.

Councillor McKillican said that the difficulty was to find a place to put the pound. Thought it would have to go to Spring Ridge.

Councillor Braden said he was one of the unfortunates, as he lived close to the pound, and had experienced all the annoyances referred to. It should not be permitted to continue any longer.

Councillor Ward moved that the representatives of Victoria in the Provincial House be requested to use their influence to secure the present gaol site for the city.

Councillor Grant agreed with the motion. Victoria had as much right to receive a gift of this kind as New Westminster had to receive 75 acres of public land.

Seconded by Councillor Smith and carried.

THE SURIBES RETIRE.

The Council then went into Committee of the Whole on the financial report. According to custom, which it would be well to discontinue, the reporters withdrew.

THE WATER WORKS.

Report of the Committee on Several Matters of Interest.

At the meeting of the City Council last evening, the following report of the Water Works Committee was presented:

To His Lordship the Mayor and Municipal Council:

GENTLEMEN,—In accordance with resolutions of Council your Water Works Committee beg to report as follows:

1. With reference to a petition from a number of residents in James' Bay Ward for a supply of water, we beg to recommend that the same be granted and that the sizes of pipes be laid along the streets as indicated upon the plan attached hereto, so soon as the pipes are at hand. As a guarantee that there will be sufficient consumers to more than pay the interest and sinking fund on the outlay, we beg to submit agreement herewith, signed by the property owners along said line of pipe.

2. We beg to recommend that Messrs. Coughlan & Mason take a special service from the main to supply Mr. Mason's house, and disconnect the present supply from their brickyard pipe. Also that Mr. Humber connect a pipe between the main and his meter, for the purpose of drawing water to the buildings now in course of erection on the Gorge road; further that larger services be given to the brickyards so as to enable them to draw sufficient water within the prescribed hours.

3. There being no houses at present along Yates street extension, we cannot recommend the pipes to be laid.

4th. With respect to shutting off the the supply of water during certain hours of the day, we would advise the expenditure of putting in globe valves, or stopcocks, at the junction of streets where the distributing pipes connect with the main on Douglas street. This work is necessary, as otherwise your committee have no means to shut off the water in certain parts.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. J. SMITH, J. BRADEN, } Committee.

Annexed to the report was an agreement signed by fourteen residents and property owners in James Bay, binding themselves to take water from the city whenever the mains would be laid in front of their premises.

Councillor Smith remarked that the proposed work in James Bay would cost about $1000, and that there would be enough pipes for the purpose when the shipment now on the way from England arrived. The investment would pay ten per cent., besides allowing for a sinking fund.

On motion the report was adopted.

TO AUSTRALIA, CHINA & JAPAN

Opposition and Competition to the G. N. W. Telegraph Co. Looming up.

The Great Northwestern Telegraph company, which holds the same position in Canada that the Western Union holds in the United States is about to get a shaking up in the course of a few weeks. As soon as the railway service is opened between the east and Winnipeg the immense telegraph system of the Canadian Pacific railway company will be thrown open to the public. "Our system is now in first rate condition," said a high official of the road recently, "but we do not desire to open to the public until we are in a position to give ample satisfaction, and at the same time to despatch gangs of men to any portion of the line to carry out repairs." In telegraph circles it is known that the most gigantic efforts were made by Jay Gould, on behalf of the Western Union, to get control of the Canadian Pacific lines. This was blocked, and negotiations are believed to be on foot for the laying of a cable to connect the Canadian Pacific system with Australia, China, and Japan. The Dominion Government has been approached on the subject by an English capitalist, with what result has not yet transpired. A gentleman who is unusually well posted in telegraph matters, has stated, that if the Canadian Pacific adhered to its present policy of ignoring the Gould clique, it would revolutionize the telegraph business.

Wanted—A New Editor for the "Colonist."

A straightforward man; one who will not allow his personal pique and paid political bias to warp his judgment in dealing with the interests of the several districts of this province. If the management of the Colonist would display as much energy in influencing his employers—the government—to be just in its treatment to all parts of the country, instead of belittling, from ulterior motives, the importance of certain districts, it would not only, to some extent, reinstate that journal in the people's confidence but it would be fitting the mission of a journal which is always in a position to do good, or harm, in building up and developing the interests and industries of the province, or reverse. When the year 1885 shall have been added to the past it will be found that the district of Cassiar, notwithstanding the malignant statements of the Colonist, will have contributed to the wealth of this province a sum which that district need not be ashamed of.

The curative power of Ayer's Sarsaparilla is too well known to require the specious aid of any exaggerated or fictitious certificate. Witnesses of its marvelous cures are to-day living in every city and hamlet of the land. Write for names if you want home evidence.

THE WIDE WORLD.

THIS DAY'S DESPATCHES.

THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

Celebration of the 27th Anniversary in London.

Special to THE TIMES.

LONDON, Aug. 5.—A banquet was given by Cyrus W. Field this evening in celebrating the 27th anniversary of the completion of the first Atlantic cable. Besides many distinguished representatives of telegraphic science, there were among the two hundred and fifty gentlemen present, John Bright, Andrew Canegie, Jno. Pender, Senator Hawley, Minister Phelps, Jos. Pulitzer, O'Connor Power and Consul General Waller. An invitation to attend the banquet was sent to the general manager of the Associated Press in the United States, who, on behalf of that Association responded as follows:

NEW YORK, Aug. 5—To Cyrus W. Field, London: Regret and congratulations for August 5th. 'Tis remarkable that so many promoters of so great an enterprise, destined to work a revolution in the commercial relations of the nations, in the character and influence of the press of the world, should meet, after a quarter of a century had passed, to participate in such a celebration. On behalf of the associated press I give you long life to the promoters, continued prosperity to the cable company and increased facilities to the press.

(Signed) WM. HENRY SMITH.

The following was this evening sent to New York:

LONDON, Aug. 5.—To Wm. Henry Smith, General Manager Associated Press: Over two and fifty gentlemen are now dining with me to celebrate the twenty-seventh anniversary of the completion of the first Atlantic cable, and wish, on this anniversary, to thank you for the interest you have always taken in telegraphic communication between England and America; and wish you a long and happy life.

CYRUS W. FIELD.

The dinner took place in the Star and Garter hotel, Richmond. Mr. Field was supported on his right by Chief Justice Waite and on the left by the Lord Mayor of London. There was a large representation of telegraphic interests present. Senator Hawley, in his speech, which was in response to the toast: "Peace and friendship existing between England and the United States," thanked Canon Farrar for his kindly tribute to Gen. Grant during the Westminster Abbey memorial service, and spoke in praise of John Bright for the support he gave the North during the war of the rebellion. The speaker, however, could not endorse the free trade principles of that gentleman, and jocularly attributed the world wide decision of Bright to American protection and British free trade.

The Lord Mayor, in his toast to Mr. Field, remarked that the world was indebted to that gentleman for the activity of the telegraph.

The Dory Neptune.

Special to THE TIMES.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 6.—Bark Wyoming, Capt. Anderson, which has arrived here from Sheet Harbor, N. S., reports having found the dory Neptune unoccupied, off Cape Clear. The dory contained a gun, a compass, a set of cooking utensils, and $225. She is believed to have sailed from Norfolk, Va.

The Cholera Plague.

Special to THE TIMES.

MADRID, Aug. 6.—Throughout Spain yesterday 4282 new cases of cholera were reported, and 1570 deaths. In the city of Teruel on Monday last, 91 new cases and 20 deaths were reported, and in the province of Teruel, outside the city, 376 new cases and 141 deaths. In the city of Madrid the cholera is confined now to the populous districts inhabited by the poor.

England's Navy—Rumors.

Special to THE TIMES.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—Admirals Hewitt, Hoskins and Hopkins, declared at the banquet given by the Empire club last night, that the British navy, despite its failings, was equal to those of any other two nations combined. Europe is full of rumors concerning the coming meeting of the emperors and their premiers. The latest report is that the Marquis of Salisbury and Prince Bismarck will meet at Varsein.

Austria Asks Reilly to be Recalled.

Special to THE TIMES.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—A dispatch from Vienna to the Telegraph says that Austria has formally notified the United States government that Reily is not acceptable as American Minister to Austria, and has expressed the hope that he will be recalled and another appointment made.

Positively Declines to Receive Him.

Special to THE TIMES.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—The Department of State is in receipt of a cablegram from Lee, secretary of the American legation at Vienna, saying that the Austrian government has positively declined to receive Reily as United States minister. The authorities of Austria gave no reason for their action, and merely say they will not receive him. Official Reily is now in Paris where he has been some weeks. He also has been informed of the decision of the Austrian authorities. Lee has been designated to act as charge d'affairs for the present.

The Cologne Gazette's Articles.

Special to THE TIMES.

PARIS, Aug. 6.—Newspapers continue to comment upon the recent articles in the North German Gazette, attacking France. They all consider that article forshadows the increase of German military strength, and that it was addressed to the Reichstag rather than to France.

The Cologne Gazette contends that the North German Gazette will strain the friendship between Germany and England by warning France against a policy of revenge.

The Cable Hero.

Special to THE TIMES.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The Standard this morning says the history of the telegraphic cable is more interesting than romantic, and that Cyrus W. Field is its hero.

Friendship Between England and Germany.

Special to THE TIMES.

BERLIN, Aug. 6.—The Cologne Gazette publishes an article similar to the one which recently appeared in the North German Gazette. It advises the maintenance of friendship between England and Germany and warns France against a policy of revenge.

ON THE WING.

The Fraser River Fisheries—The River Alive with the Silvery Beauties.

The Times Special Correspondent Talks of What is being Done.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

NEW WESTMINSTER, Aug. 5.

This is the year for the big run of salmon, which occurs every fourth year, and the Fraser river is literally alive with the silvery beauties, which form so important a part of British Columbia's wealth and her natural resources. On the 12th July the scow-eyes, the choicest of the salmon family were observed to be coming up the river in small lots. Soon, however, their numbers increased and with such wonderful rapidity that the river is now chock full of the finny treasures. And the canneries which are running are taxed to their utmost capacity to pack the vast quantities of fish which are being caught, as they are coming

BY HUNDREDS, THOUSANDS,

and in fact tens of thousands. In the memory of the proverbial "oldest inhabitant"—and there are many of these ubiquitous individuals on the classical banks of the Fraser—no such large and extensive run of salmon has been known before. The river, from its mouth to above New Westminster, is studded with the fishing boats of the various canneries, and the immense hauls made by some of them is almost as miraculous as the famous ones made on the Sea of Galilee of which we read in Holy Writ. An instance, and one which is fully authenticated, is that of a boat which took 384 fish in one haul, and commenced landing them upon the wharf in exactly 55 minutes from the time of starting.

THE CANNERIES

which are running this season are: The Delta Packing company, Ewen's cannery, Tom Ladner's cannery, British American Packing Co., British Columbia Packing Co., Ben. Young's cannery and the Richmond Canning Co. At the beginning of the season it was the intention of the several canneries to put up a total average pack of about ten thousand cases to each cannery, but owing to the large quantity of fish which have been procurable, this has been increased to such an extent that the total average pack will be double that quantity or twenty thousand cases to each cannery engaged, making the probable total pack of the Fraser river canneries for this season from 120,000 to 130,000 cases. On Saturday last Ewen's cannery did the biggest day's packing ever done on the Fraser river, canning a total of

1400 CASES IN ONE DAY

the highest previous record being 1275 cases. The canneries have been paying their fishermen from three to five cents a fish, but owing to the plentiful supply fish have been offered and sold for

ONE CENT EACH SALMON

during the past week, they being willing to accept such a small price rather than throw the fish overboard. Notwithstanding the unprecedentedly large run this year it is estimated that the total season's pack will be considerably short of that of last year. This is owing to the fact that not so many canneries are in operation this year, some having been deterred from packing on account of the glut of salmon in the market, and the consequently low prices prevailing. It is claimed, however, by some of the leading packers, that packing can be done so much cheaper this year, as to allow of a fair margin of profit at present ruling prices, and no further decline is anticipated. They claim that in previous seasons the cost of packing has amounted to about $3.25 a case, while this season it will be reduced to from $2.75 to $3.00. If such is the case, it is certain that a fair margin of profit can be made on the present ruling selling prices, which are $3.50 a case. From present indications, this season may be expected to be a remunerative one to the canneries engaged in this most important industry.

WILL B.

Another Defaulting Banker Skips.

Special to THE TIMES.

DUBLIN, Aug. 6.—Detectives have now ascertained that Robt. Farquharson, the defaulting Dublin manager of the Munster Bank sailed for Spain on the night of his flight from this city.

Indictment Against a Sea Captain.

Special to THE TIMES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 6.—The U. S. grand jury has presented an indictment against Capt. E. F. Taylor, of the American bark Gen. Fairchild, who was accused by his second mate, Wm. Perry, of withholding suitable food and placing him in irons. Counter charges were made by Taylor against Perry for insubordination, but were ignored. A bench warrant has been issued for Taylor's arrest, with bonds fixed at $2000.

Theatre Comique.

A change in the management of this theatre has taken place, Mr. Cyr assumes entire responsibility. The theater is open each night and draws good houses. To-night "The Private Sock I Carry" will be repeated.

The North Pacific.

The steamer North Pacific has been towed by the Olympian from Victoria to Port Townsend, and will be taken on to Seattle, where she will be partially repaired and afterwards her machinery will be renewed at Tacoma. She has been lying here since the accident three months ago. Work will be commenced on her hull in about one week.

A Test of Harvest Binders.

On Saturday morning, at 10 o'clock, there will be a competion in a field belonging to Mr. King, just below Cedar Hill Church, between four different makes of twine binding harvesters. Messrs. Marvin & Tilton will exhibit their Woods' harvester; Mr. E. G. Prior will exhibit the Deering binder and the Osborne steel frame binder; Messrs. Burns & Co. will exhibit the Brantford binder. The judges will be chosen from amongst the farmers present. Every farmer that can get there ought to go and see this interesting exhibition, as it will be an exciting trial and watched with interest.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

HON. MR. CHAPLEAU, Secretary of State, arrived in Paris on the 30th ult.

MR. DALTON MCCARTHY, Q. C., M. P., who is now on a visit to England, is taking a prominent part in the endeavor to promote the Imperial federation movement in Canada. It is understood that MR. MCCARTHY hopes to take advantage of opportunities presented during his stay in that country to inform himself as to the state of public opinion there in regard to the question, and to obtain any support which may be possible in furthering the movement in Canada.

THE recent failure of America's greatest ship builder, MR. ROACH, has led to a spirited discussion on the protection question. It is now asserted that the shipping interest in the United States is being nursed to death. In the supposed interest of ship builders, Americans are not allowed to purchase vessels abroad, and foreign ships are excluded from participation in the coasting trade. But even the pampered and over protected ship builders cannot keep on their feet. If protection fails to protect them, it has robbed the nation of its commercial marine and imposed heavy burdens on the internal commerce of the country. MR. ROACH talks like a patriot who has sacrificed his means in the vain hope of benefitting an ungrateful country. But the right of complaint is with the victims of protection in favor of the shipping interest; and the day cannot be distant when they will make themselves heard.

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A THROUGH CANADIAN TEA LINE.

The innovation introduced by the Northern Pacific Railway Company in the transportation of tea from this coast to the east, has received much attention and is being discussed in commercial and mercantile circles. Alluding to the subject the Toronto *Mail* says: "If the Northern Pacific can make the through tea trade pay, there is no reason why the Canadian Pacific should not. The distance from Honghong to Liverpool by the Northern Pacific is 12,149 statute miles; by the Union Pacific, 12,805 miles; by the Canadian Pacific, 11,560 miles. But the advantage possessed by the Canadian line is by no means confined to distance. The Northern Pacific can only haul the tea from Tacoma to St. Paul, about 1800 miles; it has then to be transferred to other lines of railway, each of which exacts its own toll. The Canadian Pacific on the other hand, has an independent road from tide-water to tide-water, from Moody to Montreal, a distance of 2900 miles; and through enjoying that longer haul without having to pay tribute, like the Northern Pacific, to Atlantic lines, it will be able to cut the Pacific ocean rate below Northern Pacific figures, and also to secure a cheaper Atlantic rate. Shippers will be inclined to favor the Canadian route for another reason—the transit of tea through a temperate zone always keeps it in good condition, whereas on warmer routes the quality is often impaired.

A SCANDALOUS ACT.

The *Colonist*, finding it a difficult undertaking, in defending the action of the trustees in appointing MISS ARMSTRONG to the position of principal of the girls' department in the Central School, endeavors to justify their conduct on grounds that are entirely untenable. None deny MISS ARMSTRONG the right to apply for any position to which she may be entitled by virtue of the certificate she holds; nor will any assert that the fact of her being a comparative stranger should be a bar to her selection from amongst others, all being equally well qualified. But when the trustees advertise for applications for a position in our schools, and that all applicants must possess a certain pre-requisite, termed in Ontario the LEGAL qualification—then it is their bounden duty to rigidly adhere to the long established principle of awarding the position to the applicant that holds the highest certificate, and otherwise is known to be in every respect thoroughly qualified to undertake the duties of principal of the girls' department in our school. Why this rule was disregarded by our trustees has not yet been satisfactorily answered, and in the absence of an explanation, the public have a right to form its own conclusion on the subject. The appointment beyond question is the most unpopular one that has ever been made in this city, not against MISS ARMSTRONG personally, but in hostility to the trustees. It is known that amongst the many applicants there were those holding higher certificates than did MISS ARMSTRONG one especially who held a first class grade A. On her application a vote was taken when it stood three to three. Then it was decided to make enquiries as to her fitness, &c. It was learned that she was a first-class scholar, bright, intelligent, but slight in stature, and young—failings which the board regarded as fatal. Her application was accordingly thrown aside and the others taken up at an adjourned meeting. MRS. REID then became the favorite. It is asserted that MESSRS. HARRIS, BRADEN, MCMICKING and HEISTERMAN believed her to be the best qualified and entitled to the position, and accordingly promised their support in her favor. It had previously been agreed upon that on each ballot being taken the candidate receiving the lowest vote should be dropped. On proceeding with the vote now that understanding was disregarded. It then became apparent that petty trickery was at work, and the result of the ballot only too well confirmed the fact that the hand of a power behind the throne was manipulating the vote in the interest of his political masters the James Bay quartette. It is most astonishing that the gentlemen we have referred to did not observe this and avoid the malestrom into which they were being gradually drawn by a crafty, unscrupulous politician whose past record is of the chameleon hue, and another official of the board, who is generally looked upon as his factum, and if anything even more slippery than the Mahdi who now "runs" the school board. It is not to be wondered at that the feeling of indignation is intense, for MRS. REID's record as a teacher stands remarkably high. In her examination papers she ranks as first-class, grade A, has taught in our schools for years, her pupils always passing creditable examination, while in promotions an equally satisfactory exhibit has been made. Her pupils are taught to respect and love her at the same time; a thorough disciplinarian she has proved herself to be, and yet all these qualifications are passed by as amounting to nothing, and over her head is placed a complete stranger, untried as a teacher and deficient on the score of qualification, for her certificate is equivalent to a third class one, being only a second class grade A. It would be hard to find a parallel to this outrageous proceeding in the annals of any school in the Dominion. However as it is said to be the carrying out of a part of the corrupt bargain of purchase and sale made between the government and an official who now holds a prominent position in New Westminster, whereby the gentleman referred to resigned his seat in order to allow the government to secure another vote, to render it safer in its possession of the treasury benches, we suppose there is now no help for it. The assertion that the appointment is but a temporary one is of no value; nay, it only further convinces right thinking people that a grievous blunder was committed in electing to the board of school trustees men whose political bias and animus will be made manifest on every possible occasion. But of this more again.

THE bank statements for June present changes of a very cheering character, which is justly regarded as a favorable turn in the tide of our commercial affairs. Contrary to the ordinary rule the circulation enlarged during the month by more than half a million dollars, running up from $29,124,205 to $29,692,803, a fact distinctly indicating a more active movement in general trade, since no particular cause for an increase in the currency outstanding, such as the marketing of the crops, produced existed last month. Deposits are considerably higher, public deposits being decreased a million and a half to $95,030,429, and Dominion Government deposits by a million to $6,401,838, the latter being due to the large payments of excise duties made in June. The increase made in public deposits of more than four million dollars since March last is a significant sign. It implies that prosperity is returning to the people, that the losses and hard times of 1883 and 1884 which necessitated the surplus earnings in the bank being entrenched upon are disappearing, that expenditure has again been brought within income, and that a turn in the tide has come.

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For Nanaimo—The Amelia sails every Monday, Wednesday and Friday morning at 7 o'clock.

For Burrard Inlet—The steamer Western Slope leaves C. P. N. Co.'s wharf every Tuesday at 5 o'clock p.m.

For New Westminster, Port Hammond and way ports—The Yosemite leaves Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 a. m.

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Apple Porcupine.

[Miss Leonard's Class.]

Apple porcupine is much more attractive than the creature for which it is named. Core and peel eight apples; put five or six of them in a stew-pan and add one cupful of granulated sugar and one pint of hot water; cook the fruit on both sides until soft, but do not stir; take out and lay upon the dish in which the porcupine is to be served; add to the syrup the remaining apples, cut fine, and the juice and rind of half a lemon; cook until it is marmalade, and put all over the other apples; allow the dish to cool. This may be made at any time and these finishing touches given just before serving: Beat the whites of four eggs very stiff; cut into them half a cupful of powdered sugar and cover the dish of apples with it; have ready a cupful of blanched almonds—blanched by scalding them with hot water, pulling off the coverings, and at once placing the nuts in cold water; these are the "quills," and they are stuck all over the beaten egg; put in the oven for a coat of brown. Boil one-half cupful of sugar and the rind and juice of half a lemon; add the beaten yolks of four eggs; cook over water a few moments and serve with the pudding, either hot or cold. If the dish be fine china, place it in a pan of hot water.

A Hint to the Girls.

[Pittsburg Dispatch.]

There are more chances of making a passable husband out of a fool or a crank than out of a drunkard or vicious person. The fool, if not too egotistical or too silly for anything at all, can usually be led, coaxed or driven, but the vicious person can not. The woman who undertakes to reform a man in order to get a husband, has undertaken a task that is not successfully accomplished one time in a thousand. In the first place, a man who needs to be reformed before he is fit for a companion is lacking in some of the elements which are necessary in the make-up of even the average man. Frequently it is just as impossible to supply those elements as it is to replace a gouged-out eye or a missing leg. Substitutes may be devised that improve the appearance, but they are insensible.

The Dry-Bread Item.

[New York Town Topics.]

In many American families one item of great waste is dry bread. The broken pieces, dry biscuits, etc., are thrown into the swill pail, instead of being transformed into good food. An abundant supply of properly-prepared dry bread is necessary for good cooking. Every day all dry pieces of bread for the table should be laid on a tin in a moderately hot oven until thoroughly dried; then pounded and put away in a tin pail until needed. These crumbs are the best foundation for stuffing fowls. All sorts of croquettes, fried oysters, clams, etc., are well crumbed before frying. Soup thickenings and scallops require crumbs, and they are better than meal for sprinkling fish with for frying.

Labouchere Hates Gloves.

[Exchange.]

That social iconoclast, Labouchere, is at it again. He has started a raid on gloves. "For my part," he says in Truth, "I detest gloves, except when there is dancing or in the open air, as protection from the sun or dust. The constantly-gloved hand becomes stupid looking and loses address. Gloves, in connection with court dresses were a device of the Empress Josephine to conceal the traces of the washtub on the hands and arms of marshals' wives who had risen from the common people, and to hide the manual beauty of her sister-in-law. Before her time they were only worn in the traveling coach."

Shoot Them on the Spot.

[The Cook.]

There is no duty more important than that of teaching Americans to make coffee. Evangelists ought to go up and down the land awakening men and women to the enormity of boiling coffee. Every coffee pot without a strainer should be publicly smashed, and the offense of boiling coffee should ostracize the offender. With the trifling exception of women, coffee is the best gift that man has received. To treat this gift with insult and contempt by boiling it is an outrage as ungrateful as it is brutal.

Half a Million for Decorative Art.

[Philadelphia News.]

Seven years ago the sale of objects of decorative art made by women was almost unknown. Since that time societies of decorative art have been established in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Buffalo, Rochester and San Francisco. The statistics of these societies show that they have paid for works of decorative art produced by women over $500,000, by no means a small amount when the length of time and novelty of the work to the American public are considered.

Parisian "Horsey" Toilets.

[Chicago Journal.]

"Horsey" toilets seem becoming fashionable in Paris. The other day a well-known actress appeared in a crimson velvet bonnet representing a saddle, tied under her chin by strings tipped with steel stirrups. With this the lady wore a cherry-colored jockey's jacket, fastened about the waist by a horseshoe. Her skirt was embroidered with horseshoes, while to complete the costume her hair was dressed over a silver bit so as to fall down her back like a horse's tail.

Another Profession.

[Inter Ocean.]

The latest profession opened to women in London is that of adviser of household decoration. As practiced by the sisters of William Morris it consists of driving from house to house telling the new rich what is the proper thing in wall paper, drapery, etc.

A Gilded Rolling-Pin.

The latest device for an ornament to a room is a gilded rolling-pin studded with gilt hooks, which is hung up by bright ribbons. The ornament is quite useful.

Cause of a Mill Explosion.

[Chicago Herald.]

In a German grist mill recently a sack of flour fell down stairs, opened, and scattering the contents in a burning gas flame, set fire to the dust, causing an explosion which lifted a part of the roof of the mill and broke almost all the windows.

THE CAMPING-OUT SEASON.

A Bark Canoe—Tents and Other Necessaries—The Camp Fire.

[MacMillan's Magazine.]

A bark canoe is only one man's load; he turns it upside down, and walks with it on his head. A man toiling across a portage in this attitude is a somewhat grotesque sight, suggesting a monstrous new kind of snail. Then the canoe will go over shallows where anything else would stick, and as for handiness, an expert canoeman will almost turn it around with one twist of the paddle. Repairs are frequent but simple, consisting mainly in the free application to damaged places of a resinous gum kept in store for that purpose. Speed is a secondary consideration; you cannot go fast paddling up, and you cannot help going fast coming down. We came down a reach in half an hour that we had taken half a day to work up. Often towing and poling have to be resorted to to make way against a heavy current.

Paddling, though a more wasteful application of muscular work than rowing, is less fatiguing when the pace is not forced, and after a little practice becomes a very delectable exercise. The traveler embarked on a canoe voyage has to carry most things with him. Along the river there are only scattered farm houses, and the only certain and comfortable way of securing shelter for the night is to camp out. The tents and other necessaries form the cargo of the canoes. It is astonishing how much stuff can be stowed away in a canoe that looks quite small—another merit of the savage birch bark vessel as compared with European boats. Every night we choose our camping ground, pitch our tents, and make our camp fire; this last is of great importance, not only for warmth and brightness, but for driving away insects, the only drawback in a life otherwise perfect.

When people play at camping out in England, they make a fire a foot or two across, over which they hang a kettle on three sticks. In Canada you make a fire of logs five or six feet long, or may be whole roots of pine or cedar, which will burn all night. The trouble of chopping the wood up small would be greater than that of burning it as it is, and its cost is nothing. In many places, indeed, the best fuel is drift wood, which could in no way be made otherwise useful. Even in summer nights the fire is a welcome companion, and after a day's work at paddling, hot tea is the best of drinks whatever the temperature may be—not that other drink would be easy to get if one wanted it, but no such want is felt.

Flowers at Funerals.

[Joe Howard in Philadelphia Press.]

The senseless custom of sending flower pieces to funerals is now pretty well broken up. I remember that at Barney Williams' funeral, at a moderate estimate, the flowers sent cost between $3,000 and $5,000. Every conceivable form was utilized—urns crosses, harps, lyres, baskets, pillows, everything that the most ingenious florist could devise, was put into use on this occasion, and the altar and chancel were fairly packed and concealed by the wealth of development in this line. Well, it was simply ridiculous, and, by the way, it is a good point for purchasers of emblems of this nature to see that they exercise common sense and discretion in their orders. Let me be give you an illustration.

A short time ago a young fellow, an actor, died suddenly, and his companions, desiring to testify their regard, determined to send something of this nature to his home at the time of the funeral service. So, raising $50 or $60, they sent one of their number to an adjacent florist's and directed him to send two handsome pieces in the name of the company to the former residence of their friend. Having paid for it, that ended their mission.

They attended the services in a body and to their horror and amazement, they found—their former associate having been a Hebrew—placed in one corner out of the way so that it could not be seen, a huge red cross, probably the most offensive thing that could have been sent to a Hebrew's home under any circumstances. The parents of the actor were, fortunately, people of sense and at once saw the blunder was caused by ignorance rather than with any intent to annoy or affront, so they quietly put the offensive symbol out of the way where it couldn't be seen.

That Whistle Among the Icebergs.

[Evelyn Harlowe in The Century.]

The launch whistled frequently as she steamed along, and we knew afterwards that the sound was heard by those who lay in the tent, which was partly blown down. Brainard and Long succeeded in creeping out from under its folds and crawled to the top of a hill near by, from which was visible the coast towards Cape Sabine. At first nothing was seen by them; and Brainard returned to the tent, telling by the silent despair of his face that "there was no hope." The survivors discussed the probable cause of the noise and decided that it was the wind blowing over the edge of a tin can.

Meanwhile Long crept higher up the hill and watched attentively in the direction from which the sound had apparently come. A small, black object met his gaze. It might be a rock, but none had been seen there before. A thin, white cloud appeared above it; his ear caught the welcome sound and the poor fellow knew that relief had come. In the ecstacy of his joy he raised the signal flag, which the gale had blown down. It was a sad, pitiable object—the back of a white flannel undershirt, the leg of a pair of drawers and a piece of blue bunting tacked to an oar. The effort proved too much for him and he sank exhausted on the rocks. It was enough for the relief party; they saw him, whistled again, and turned in for the shore with all possible speed. Long rose again and fairly rolled down hill in his eagerness to meet them.

Story of a Tramp.

[Detroit Free Press.]

A Tramp who called at a Farm House to ask for a cold Bite was almost Paralyzed at being Welcomed with Smiles and Kind Words and having a fine Repast laid out for him. In Explanation the Woman said that he Reminded her of her Long-Lost Cousin.

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"Slide out, you Villain! They were all Girls in Our Family!"

Moral: There is such a thing as Boiling your Potatoes too Hard.

The Shrieks Rang in His Ears.

[New York Evening Post.]

Concerning the smothering of Arabs in an Algerian cave, a correspondent writes us: "I have been told by Englishmen that it was of no uncommon occurrence for Gen. Pelissier to put both his hands to his ears all of a sudden (sometimes even at dinner parties) as if to shut his ears against the howls of the smothering Arabs in that cave. It came to him so unexpectedly that this action of his (putting the hands up to his ears) was quite involuntary to him."

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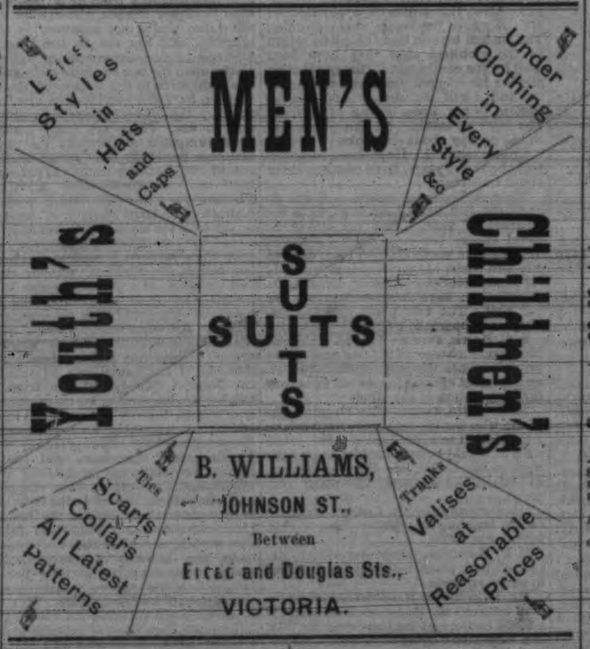

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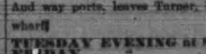

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—At New Westminster the weather is dry, and no appearance of rain.

—Dr. Walters, of New Westminster, is on his way to San Francisco.

—The Knights of Labor will meet to-night in Harmony Hall.

—The New Westminster Band of Hope, to the number of 100, held a picnic at Maple Ridge the other day.

—There are a large number of applicants for the position of Constable in New Westminster.

—Mr. Homer, M. P., brought from Ottawa a handsome flag for the public buildings, New Westminster.

—Parties are now visiting the Armstrong hot springs at Harrison Lake.

—The customs returns for New Westminster show a falling off for the month of July of $1,454 35.

—A new road has been opened between New Westminster and Granville. It is the commencement of a road through the North Arm settlement.

—Miss Bell, of New Westminster, was another fortunate applicant from the Royal city. She was appointed Principal to the Nanaimo girls' school.

—The Theatre Comique company returned to the city to-day and will present a good bill to night to those in attendance.

—C. D. Rand has resumed business and has taken an office on Bastion street over Dr. Chipp's where he will carry on business as a real estate broker and insurance agent.

—Sir Charles Tupper is on his way to Ottawa, ostensibly to cope with the government officials on the colonial exhibit arrangements. His name, however, is mentioned in connection with a portfolio in the cabinet.

—Letters addressed to the following parties are detained in the Victoria P. O. for postage: Mr. Henry Lilley, Chicopee Mass; Messrs. A. Mayer & Co., Nanaimo; Messrs. Horne & Son, Nanaimo; Mr. J. Abrams, Nanaimo; F. R. Armstrong, Esquimalt.

—The Evangelist, Dr. Graves, preached last evening to a large audience. Many accepted the invitation to remain for the inquiry meeting and manifested deep concern for their spiritual welfare. The services still continue every afternoon and evening in the First Presbyterian church.

—The business transacted by the Council after the rising of the committee last night, was the contract for the construction of View street drain to Mr. James Baker for the amount of his tender, $1189, that being the lowest. Then the Council adjourned until 7:30 Friday evening next.

—Steamer Olympia brought freight for the following: Jas Vail, Otter, J B McQueen, M T Gallick & Co, Baker & Fullerton, Raper Raper & Co, J Pelon, W W Dodd, Brown & White, Todd & Son, R City P Mills, E B Marvin, Carne & Munsie, M R Smith, L Willie, W W Dodd, Felt & Co, J Weiler, H Waller, Irving Bros, Tietjen & Levy, Marvin & Tilton, Bank of B C, Marvin & Tilton, Welch Rithet & Co, R. Campbell.

The new Policeman.

Fifteen applications were presented to the Council last night for the position on the city police force, vacated by the resignation of Officer Stewart. The names of the applicants appear in the proceedings elsewhere. Among the number were two who stood over six feet two inches in height, one who was conversant with Chinook, one who had served through the Egyptian campaign, a veteran of the famous Black Watch and several who had had previous experience in other cities. The selection was decided by ballot. On the first ballot McLaren, Nicholson, Bush and Babbitt received two votes each and Woods one. All the names, excepting those receiving two votes, were then dropped, and the second ballot stood; Bush, 3; Nicholson, 1; Babbitt, 2; McLaren, 3. Nicholson and Babbitt were then dropped and the third ballot gave McLaren 5 and Bush 3. The former was then declared elected. Mr. McLaren will make a most efficient officer. He has had four years experience on the Winnipeg force and has been a resident of Victoria for over a year.

The Coal Harbor Extension.

Mr. W. C. Van Horne has intimated that so soon as the engineers can be spared from the work on the line above Savona's Ferry, possibly in two weeks, time, they will be sent to locate the line to New Westminster, and the municipal and provincial bonus arranged to the satisfaction of their solicitor here, construction will there begin, but no positive date can be named, as the Port Moody-Savona section has not yet been turned over to the government, nor by it to the C. P. R. company. Until this is done the Coal Harbor extension will not be proceeded with, nor the branch to New Westminster.

Official Inquiry.

A commission to enquire into the causes of the late collision commenced its sittings to-day in the office of the agent of Marine and Fisheries. The commission consists of Capt. H. G. Lewis, chairman, Capt. J. Devereux, of the Sir James Douglas, and Mr. E. S. Vigor, steamboat inspector. Mr. W. S. Wiffen acts as clerk to the commission. Capt. A. Insley, and H. Ramell, quarter-master, and the mate of the Rithet, were examined. The evidence taken was substantially the same as that adduced at the inquest.

Coming to Victoria.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 6.—Passengers for Victoria by the Queen which sailed to-day are: N A Morley and wife, E McAbee, Miss Mary McAbee, H M Ball, A P Briggs and wife, J Sencer, Miss D McGuire, Mrs J Sterling, John Bain, Mrs J S Cowie, Miss Carrie Elwert, Chas Elwert, Thomas Moffat and wife, A M Kohlberg, Mrs W J Pair and son, Mrs Dyer, Mrs Gilroy, A H Abbott, B F Dodge, Thos Benbow and wife, A J Dawe, J Jordan, A Murphy, F Allen, W R Nichols.

The Petrified Giant.

Found eight feet under the surface on Mr. Gibbert's farm in Happy Valley, is on exhibition at the "Bee Hive" saloon on Fort street. As a curiosity it is well worth seeing. Viewed either as a petrified body or a carved image, it is of great interest to antiquarians. Admission 25c.

The Confederation Life Association.

In referring to the appointment of Mr. W. Monteith to the agency of this company on Tuesday, omission was made of the fact that Mr. N. Shakespeare, M. P., who formerly held that position, had resigned in consequence of inability to attend to the company's business caused by his absence from the city, and attendance on his parliamentary duties.

SCHOOL BOOKS

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J. B. FERGUSON & Co.'s.

Something New.

Crape Mourning Note Paper and Envelopes at FERGUSON'S.

THE LATE ACCIDENT.

Continuation of the Inquest—The Evidence Taken.

YESTERDAY'S EVIDENCE.

Harry Bramwell, Quartermaster of the R. P. Rithet, sworn:—Was left in charge of the wheel by the Captain about a quarter to two. We were then going through Trial Island Pass. Soon afterwards saw the Enterprise over the reefs coming around the point. We were then passing the beacon in the channel, and she may have been about a mile off, or possibly less. As soon as we came within full view of each other, and when the Enterprise was about a quarter of a mile away, I blew one whistle. Do not know whether she answered or not. The steamers were then heading almost directly to each other. I watched and noticed that she, the Enterprise, was starboarding her wheel, instead of porting it, thus taking her across our bow. I made the remark to the mate, who was standing beside me in the pilot house, "My God, what is that man trying to do; is he trying to run across our bow?" I then had the wheel a little to port, and not knowing what she was going to do, did not shift it. It was my place to go to port and she was apparently going to starboard. The mate stopped the engine, and at the same time I put the wheel hard to port. In doing so I was following the rules and was acting according to the signal given. As soon as the collision occured the mate left to get down the boats, and the captain came to the pilot house. We went down to the deck, and I saw Capt. Rudlin coming aboard in a small boat, and singing out to the Rithet, "lower the boats." He was standing up in the small boat at the time. Heard a conversation between the two captains. Took one of the waiters with me and went in a boat and helped to pick up the passengers. The pilot house of the Enterprise was not struck, and if the mate had been in it at the time he would not have been hurt. The quartermaster's duties are to steer the boat, keep the pilot house in order and attend to the gangways. Have been a seaman all my life, but do not hold any certificate; have acted as mate of a steamer in the United States.

To Mr. Irving—Did not see the Enterprise when Capt. Insley handed over the wheel to me. Did not know when the Enterprise was swinging to starboard what they were trying to do; thought they had mistaken the signal. She gave no indication how she was going. The down steamer has the right of way, and the Enterprise should have given the whistle as to which direction should have been taken. The steamer was about 500 yards from shore on port side. Navigation is safe within 50 or 60 yards of James Island. Have been working for four months for Capt. Irving; was never left in charge of the wheel of the Yosemite; either captain or mate are in the pilot-house.

To Mr. Gannaway—The mate was near enough to give orders when the whistle was blown.

To the Coroner—I understand the chart and compass, and can raise a boat anywhere around this island.

The inquest was here adjourned until 2 p. m., Friday.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Fred Bunscombe, of Hamilton, Ont., is at the Driard.

Mr. John T. Galbraith and Mrs. Galbraith, of Kootenay, who have been spending a pleasant time at Yaquina Bay, are expected in this city shortly.

Mr. Colin H. Campbell, of the legal firm of Messrs. Robertson, Campbell & Crawford, Winnipeg, is at the Driard.

Mr. Bearisto, of the C. P. R. Co.'s solicitor's office, Winnipeg, is registered at the Driard.

Messrs. H. A. McLean and J. Abrams, of Winnipeg, arrived in the city to-day. They are at the Driard, and came overland with Messrs. Campbell and Bearisto.

Amongst those at the Driard are R. T. Van Horne and wife, and F. J. Rand of Kansas City; A. F. Webster, N. Y.; H. T. Kean, New Jersey; J. Howard, Portland; A. L. Palmer, Auburn, W. T.; A. J. Dotger and wife and Miss Dotger, N. Y. C.; F. Stacey, W. C. Brown, F. E. Taylor and wife of the U. S. army San Francisco.

The steamer Eliza Anderson arrived at 10:30 a. m. with the following passengers: F A Edna, M Moran, Capt Cox, J R Parker, F J Vatchelder, Mrs J Clark and 6 children, Samuel Force, Mrs Rickards, M W Dwyer, D McLachlan, Robt Williams, L W Vass, F Bancborough, H Hatten, Capt Morrison, Mary, Sally.

Passengers by the Olympian to-day: C Buckler, W Elliott, S Ellis, Mrs Vincent and two children, Mrs Brown and three children, H M Galloway, W Stevens, R Lewis, J R Gote, Mr Dotch and wife, T Ricks, D Gunn, Mrs L Vasson, H Klen, J Jones, J C Clay, G Gunn, R M Keefer, W F Kane, H F Welson, A C Brown, T J Baird, Miss Carter, H S Osborne and wife, Mrs Robinson, Miss Dotch, M L Beauchart, W S Thompson, A McAlpine, Miss Kattie Vasson, F S Taylor, wife and child, Col Van Horne and wife, Mrs W Smith and 2 children, B Wellkins, wife and 2 children, Mr Robinson and wife, R Clayton, Mr Palmer, M L Begg, J Sharp, J Slater, A G Jacobs, E G Dixon, C Pasqualle.

A Vile Vampire.

If "Paterfamilias" who, is evidently another of those moral hypocrites which infest these parts, will only state his case so that he may be understood, as we do not know of any house called the "Park Hotel," then his remarks may be of interest. By way of a passing remark it is known that "Paterfamilias" belongs to that despicable class of insinuating, sneaking vampires, which poise in the social scale, a grade below a "bully." It is unnecessary to quote the word. The onus rests with the Colonist until the mask is cast aside.

Excursion to Victoria.

An excursion will leave Portland on the 20th inst. for this city, the fare for the round trip being only $10. It will be under the auspices of the A. O. U. W., and Father Upchurch will accompany the excursionists. There is every likelihood that a very large number of the members of that order, besides many others, will come to our city on that occasion. Tickets are good for thirty days.

LABATT'S LONDON PALE ALE.

Highest Awards, Philadelphia 1876; Canada, 1876; Australia, 1877; Paris, 1878. Connoisseurs and Lovers of Fine Ale will enquire at the Hotels and Saloons for the above, which is now offered, for the first time, in this market.

Music Lessons.

A young lady who has had the advantage of receiving instruction in music from Professor Oliver King, (Pianist to Princess Louise) is desirous of obtaining a limited number of music pupils, and will give lessons at her residence, or if desired at their own homes. For particulars enquire at M. W. Waitt's music store.

Anti-Chinese Union.

There will be a meeting of the central branch of the A. C. U. at Harmony Hall, Friday evening at 7:30, for the election of officers. The public are invited.

COUNTY COURT.

(Before His Honor M. B. Begbie, C. J.)

Hutchinson & Co. vs. H. P. Morgan. Suit to recover $157.81, for good sold. Judgment for plaintiff, execution not to issue without permission of the Court. E. M. Johnson for plaintiff.

Leslie vs. Higgins. An action brought by the plaintiff, H. H. Leslie, an architect, to recover the sum of $447.40 from D. W. Higgins. The claim was for plans and specifications furnished by Leslie for a new residence, which the defendant proposed building at Regent Park.

Henry H. Leslie, sworn:—Mr. Higgins came to my office in March to look at plans. The first plan I showed him was for a building that would cost about $4000; this he said would be too small for his family. I showed him another, which he liked better; it had been prepared for Mr. Humphries. I mentioned to him that the building would cost $7000. He was satisfied with it and told me to submit it to Mrs. Higgins, which I did. She examined the plan and suggested some alterations—a conservatory in front, Queen Anne stairs, &c.; I prepared a rough sketch of the building with the changes, and again submitted it to Mrs. Higgins. She was pleased with the new plan, and suggested some more changes, which I made. I then saw Mr. Higgins, and he instructed me to finish up the plans and specifications. He came to my office several times and was always in a hurry to have them completed. I advertised for tenders, and showed them to Mr. Higgins, the lowest being that of Mr. E. P. Hamilton, for $6,240. Besides some reserved work of $1450. Mr. Higgins took the matter under advisement, and in about two weeks told me that it would be folly for him to cripple his business by going into such a large expenditure. Afterwards he instructed me to get up a $9000 plan, which I did, and submitted to Mrs. Higgins. She expressed herself satisfied with it. Mr. Higgins instructed me to invite tenders from those who had formerly tendered, which I did. The lowest tender on plan number two was for $6240. Let the contract on the 18th June, and called on Mr. Higgins about 1st July, and told him I wanted some money, about $300. He said that that was more than was due and remarked that, "if you expect to get anything on that you are a fool; I will never pay a d—n cent." Some time afterward he brought a man in to copy the specifications; I refused to permit. He then forbid me to put my foot on his grounds. (Mr. Mills read a letter from defendant's counsel, asking for the plans and specifications, or copies thereof, and agreeing to pay $22 40 for the plans of the fence, and two and one-half per cent on contract price of plan number two, but repudiating liability for first plan, on the ground that defendant's instructions had been exceeded.) After this action was commenced Mr. Higgins proposed a compromise. The custom here is that the plans return to the architect after they have been used by the contractor. The usual commission for original plans and tracings is two and a half per cent, which it is the custom to pay upon letting of contract. The work of making all the plans, etc., would occupy about six weeks.

Cross-examined. Have been an architect about two years; have had trouble in about four cases.

Thomas Trounce, sworn.—I am an architect and have been engaged in the business 27 years. Five per cent is the usual charge for such work. Detailed drawings are worth 2½ per cent, divided into two parts; 1¼ for drawings and 1¼ for superintendence; I never divided the commission; have always charged five per cent. The two plans are distinct. They are apparently correct.

S. C. Barris, sworn.—I am an architect. The usual charge is 2½ per cent. The two plans are distinct. I do not think arrangement of one plan would answer in the preparation of the other.

McB. Smith, sworn:—Mr. Higgins asked me who was the architect of my house: I told him it was Mr. Leslie. He asked me if it would be safe for him to give the work to Mr. Leslie; Mr. Higgins expressed himself pleased with the plans prepared.

Cross-examined—Mr. Leslie's estimate for my building was $3000. The lowest tender was $3000.

E. P. Hamilton, carpenter—Have examined both plans, and they are different in many respects.

Mr. Higgins, for the defence, sworn:—Had agreed with Mr. Leslie for a plan for a $6000 house, and tenders were invited, Mr. Hamilton's being the lowest. He objected to the plan because it would cost $2300 more than he had agreed to pay. It was then arranged between them that a modified plan should be prepared. The plan which was being used, was defective. The fence was also badly built; it was now falling down.

Cross-examined—It is quite true that I told Mr. Leslie not to exceed $6000, and it is also true that I had set apart $10,000 for the building. (Mr. Mills read from the Colonist an article that stated that it was Mr. Higgins' intention to spend $10,000 on a new building in Regent Park.)

John Munro, contractor for the building, sworn: Had found an error in the plans, which had increased the cost of the building $60.

The case was still proceeding.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Meeting Last Night—Promotions of Teachers in Central School.

A meeting of the School Trustees was held at 4 p. m. yesterday afternoon, all the members being present.

Miss M. Williams' resignation was read and accepted.

Thirty-eight applications were reported as received for vacant positions on the teachers' staff.

The James Bay school janitor applied for an increase from $5 to $10 per month in salary. Laid on the table.

Mr. Heisterman said that pupils were put in lower classes in the central school after coming from the ward schools.

Mr. Braden suggested a visit and an investigation, as there was evidence of favoritism.

Mr. Higgins said it was a mythical idea. Changes should be specific.

Mr. McMicking was of the opinion that pupils were forced in the ward schools.

Mr. Heisterman moved, seconded by Mr. McMicking that the advertising of the board be given to one morning and one evening paper alternately, and that job printing be given out by tender to the lowest bidder, not a publisher of a newspaper. Carried.

The report of the deputation which had waited on the government on the night school question was presented. The Provincial Secretary had informed them that the grant for educational purposes this year was already large ($100,375), and it would be impossible to give assistance until a sum was voted for that purpose.

The Board then went into committee, and agreed to the following promotions: Miss Lizzie Barron to be fourth assistant in the girls' school, vice Miss Williams, resigned; Miss Lucretia Horton to be fifth assistant in the girls' department, vice Miss Barron, promoted; Miss Christina Forrest to be fifth assistant in the boys' department, vice Miss Horton, promoted; Miss Elinor M. Carmichael to be sixth assistant in the boys' department, vice Miss Forrest, promoted.

The best place to buy your groceries is at FELL & Co.'s, Fort street.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

The Recent Collision.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—It is satisfactory to the public to know that the investigation into the causes of the collision between the steamers R. P. Rithet and Enterprise is conducted in public, as all such unfortunate accidents should be. Dissatisfaction was expressed at the time on account of the investigation as to the Grappler disaster having taken place in private.

Victoria, Aug. 6. SHELL BACK.

"Many Canadians" Exposed.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—I would like to say a few words anent the very unmanly way the editor of the Colonist endeavours to get out of his action as a trustee in the late appointment of a lady principal for the Victoria public school, by writing a letter for his own paper and signing it "Many Canadians." Fortunately the Canadians are well posted on David's previous career to be hoodwinked by anything he might say in that point. But how unmanly the endeavour to shove it on to other shoulders, in the hope that he may escape the onus of his discreditable actions. I need not say unmanly, for that is a quality in which he is lacking, a fact well known in this city. Then why pollute the name by coupling it with such a trio as is the editor of the Colonist, Slippery Charley, and the sapient land agent, who is at the beck and call of the two former worthies. From such men God save our school! What we want our children taught is manliness, honesty and truthfulness, along with the other branches which are usually taught at the public schools. Can we expect these to be taught in the Victoria schools when an inexperienced teacher is placed at the head of a school, and controlled by these worthies, who, according to past experience, will stoop to almost anything to gain their point. What encouragement is there for teachers who have taught successfully for years, and have passed and improved each year in their yearly examinations, when an inexperienced teacher, who does not pass as good an examination as those over whom she is placed, are rejected and the inferior one accepted?

A CANADIAN PARENT.

Victoria's Representatives to Ottawa Criticised.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—Judging from the elaborate statements contained in a pamphlet lately distributed by Mr. Baker, and his subsequent attempts at a public meeting to impress his constituents with an idea of his importance and exceptional value, it is but just to him that he should realize the fact that there are many very intelligent men amongst what he is pleased to term the lower classes, who neither consider him useful nor necessary in their interests, and are not in the least influenced by the presumptious value he places upon his non-exceptional services. His suggestion to the editor of the Advertiser, to "put a new head on him," was not very dignified language for a gentleman to use. There are many amongst his workingmen constituents that could take his head off, but would scarcely consider it worth the trouble to put a new head on so questionable a trunk. The new Franchise bill, which seeks to disfranchise a large number, of what we might term the unfortunate, scarcely received the consideration it deserved, further than to deem houseless and homeless beings, as scalawags, without rights and privileges of any kind, except to be insulted for their misfortune, and despised on account of their circumstantial misery. Are these the qualities of which Mr. Baker is so proud, and for which we are to consider ourselves indebted? Further, for Mr. Shakespeare to state that Sir John A. Macdonald is a friend of the workingman, when we know that he and others, with whom he acted in collusion, have possibly for ever destroyed the prospect of the labering classes in the Pacific coast province, and left a legacy of curses to the yet unborn! What sycophancy to party is thus displayed, and what abject slavery to the individual is thus observed by licking the hand of the destroyer of our homes and future! The workingmen of British Columbia require the services of representatives whose brains are alive to their necessities, and whose known consistency of principles are unimpenchable. Men who by instinct and suffering are true to their fellow men, regardless of sacrifice and attendant risks. Men who will serve all interests faithfully, without sycophancy on the one hand or injustice on the other. This is the growing feeling east and west on the continent, and neither flattery or cajolery can change it. Respectfully, A WORKING MAN.

Victoria, Aug. 6th, 1885.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Elwin Johnson, Esq., S. M.)

Jas. Weir and George Washington, for being drunk and disorderly, were fined $5, or one week's imprisonment.

Geo. Blackman was charged with having broken two panes of glass in the premises of Hee Gee. The case was dismissed.

The First Message.

Twenty-seven years ago yesterday the first cable message that ever crossed the Atlantic, from President Buchanan to Queen Victoria, was repeated by Mr. W. F. Archibald, now manager of the Victoria office. He was then in charge of the Truro, Nova Scotia, office. What food for reflection is here offered! The changes in the world's affairs since then is truly astounding; but what of the futnre?

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THE LEASE, GOODWILL, FIXTURES AND Stock in Trade of C Morton, Stationer, Bookseller, &c., Government St., Victoria, B. C.

The Stock is quite new, complete and well assorted. The location is one of the very best in the city. The premises are in first rate order, having been refitted last year. Counters, Shelving and Show Cases all new.

Apply on the premises to C. MORTON, Victoria, July 13th, 1885. jy13dwtm

OBSERVE!

800 yards Stark 8 oz. White Duck
2000 yards Regatta Ginghams (China Checks)
1500 Butter Cloth
200 Comforter Wadding Bed Quilts
500 yards Table Oil Baize, choice patterns
50 doz Briar Pipes
50 " Dressing Combs
24 " Fine Combs
50 " Assorted Purses
60 Accordeons (direct from Germany)

Received this week, and for sale at lowest rates

A. B. GRAY & Co., WHARF STREET. aug1 w d&w

THE POODLE DOG.

ROTISSERIE CAKE BAKERY,

ICE CREAM AND

Coffee Saloon,

Yates-st., bet. Broad & Government.

HAMM & MARBOEUF, Proprietors.

Special attention given to Family Dinners, Wedding and Bridal Parties.

The Kitchen is under the supervision of Mr. Marboeuf, late of Maison Dore, San Francisco, and the Driard of this city. july29 tf

A FIRE-PROOF SAFE FOR SALE,

IN first-class order, with combination locks; weight 1900 lbs; outside measurement 4 feet x 3 feet 2 inches; inside (clear) 29 in. x 25½. Manufactured by Tilton & Macfarlane.

Robert Ward & Co.

WHARF STREET. July30 1w

MR. S. MACLURE,

Late of Spring Garden Art School, Philadelphia,

Is prepared to give instruction in

Drawing, Painting in Oil and Water Colors, Painting on Silk and Satin, etc.

Also, instruction given in TELEGRAPHY.

Residence—Blanchard street, 2nd door north of Pleasant street. aug5

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

AUCTIONEERS.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8th.

Str. "Phantom."

We have received instructions to sell by public auction, at noon, on Porter's wharf, the American Passenger and Towing steamer Phantom, as she now lies off Porter's wharf, in good order and ready for immediate use.

The dimensions of the Phantom are: Length, 62 feet; breadth of beam, 11½ feet; depth of hold, 6 feet. Her tonnage is 36 54-100, and is allowed to carry 25 passengers.

The Phantom is well found, having 1 spare propeller, 1 metal lifeboat, 1 keel boat, 2 anchors and cables, 28 cork life preservers, 1 hose, 1 hand fire pump, iron and rope steering gear, 6 fire buckets, 1 water barrel, 2 water tanks, complete signal lights, all of which are in good order.

Orders to view or inspect under steam can be had on application at the office of the auctioneer.

TERMS AT SALE.

JOSHUA DAVIES, aug3 Auctioneer.

For San Francisco.

Carrying her Majesty's Mails, Wells, Fargo & Co's Express, and Northern Pacific Express.

The Pacific Coast Steamship Co.'s Steamer

Geo. W. Elder,

CAPTAIN HOLMES.

Will sail from Victoria wharf, outer harbor, for San Francisco on

FRIDAY, August 7, AT NOON.

Intending Shippers are requested to make arrangements for Freight as early as possible, so that room may be reserved for their shipments. Freight for shipment by her is required to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, August 25.

For Freight and Passage apply to

WELCH RITHET & CO., aug1 Agents.

For Skeena River, Fort Simpson, Queen Charlotte Islands and all Way Ports.

CARRYING HER MAJESTY'S MAILS.

THE FINE NEW SCREW STEAMER

"Barbara Boscowitz,"

Will sail from Sprost's Wharf on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11,

AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.

No freight will be received after 5 p. m. Monday. For Freight or Passage apply to J. D. WARREN, or H. SAUNDERS. aug3

Hosiery,

JUST RECEIVED.

100 doz Men's Finished Brown Cotton Socks
50 doz Men's White Fine do.
(Above specially for Chins trade.)
100 doz Men's Blue Mxd Cotton Socks
50 doz Men's Seal Brown Mx'd do.
100 doz Women's Fancy Stripe Cotton Hose, (that our customers can retail at 12½c)
100 doz Women's Extra Stripe Cotton Hose (splendid line to retail at 25c
30 doz Women's White Cotton Hose.

For sale at lowest prices.

A. B. GRAY & CO., WHARF STREET. aug1 1w d&w

Notice.

CREDITORS of Augustus Langford Brown, late of Happy Valley, Metchosin District, deceased, are requested to send their accounts to the undersigned.

J. ROLAND HEYT, Barrister-at-Law, Langley street, Victoria. August 5, 1885. aug5

Notice

NOTICE is hereby given, that the undersigned intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a public highway to South Saanich, commencing at section line of section three (3) following section line to northwest corner of section one (1) South Saanich.

RICHARD JOHNS,
GEORGE HARRISON,
S. G. HARRISON,
W. HARRISON.

Victoria, Aug. 4, 1885. aug4

PARTNERSHIP.

C. W. DIXON having withdrawn from the firm, I have this day admitted R. H. Ward as partner in the Albion Hotel, Victoria.

A. M. CLEMENT.

Victoria, July 14th, 1885. jy15-1m